



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Confirmation No.: 9907
 Mihailo M. Stojancic : Group Art Unit: 2131
 Serial No.: 09/955,902 : Examiner: Longbit Chai
 Filed: September 18, 2001 :
 For: PRE-COMPUTATION AND DUAL -PASS :
 MODULAR ARITHMETIC OPERATION :
 APPROACH TO IMPLEMENT :
 ENCRYPTION PROTOCOLS EFFICIENTLY :
 IN ELECTRONIC INTEGRATED CIRCUITS :
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed **January 6, 2005**, the shortened statutory period for which runs until **April 6, 2005**.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

- There are no Specification Amendments. There are no Drawing Amendments.
- Claim Amendments and Remarks are presented on separate sheets as indicated below:
 - Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.
 - Remarks begin at page 28.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks after entry of the amendments.